Dear Senators HEIDER, Brackett, Stennett, and Representatives GIBBS, Gestrin, Erpelding:

The Legislative Services Office, Research and Legislation, has received the enclosed rules of the Department of Fish and Game:

- IDAPA 13.01.08 Rules Governing the Taking of Big Game Animals in the State of Idaho Notice of Amended Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0108-1902);
- IDAPA 13.01.09 Rules Governing the Taking of Game Birds in the State of Idaho Notice of Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0109-1901).

Pursuant to Section 67-454, Idaho Code, a meeting on the enclosed rules may be called by the cochairmen or by two (2) or more members of the subcommittee giving oral or written notice to Research and Legislation no later than fourteen (14) days after receipt of the rules' analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to call a meeting on the enclosed rules is no later than 06/25/2019. If a meeting is called, the subcommittee must hold the meeting within forty-two (42) days of receipt of the rules' analysis from Legislative Services. The final date to hold a meeting on the enclosed rules is 07/24/2019.

The germane joint subcommittee may request a statement of economic impact with respect to a proposed rule by notifying Research and Legislation. There is no time limit on requesting this statement, and it may be requested whether or not a meeting on the proposed rule is called or after a meeting has been held.

To notify Research and Legislation, call 334-4854, or send a written request to the address on the memorandum attached below.



### Legislative Services Office Idaho State Legislature

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#### **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Rules Review Subcommittee of the Senate Resources & Environment Committee and the

House Resources & Conservation Committee

**FROM:** Deputy Division Manager - Katharine Gerrity

**DATE:** June 06, 2019

**SUBJECT:** Department of Fish and Game

IDAPA 13.01.08 - Rules Governing the Taking of Big Game Animals in the State of Idaho - Notice of Amended Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0108-1902)

IDAPA 13.01.09 - Rules Governing the Taking of Game Birds in the State of Idaho - Notice of Proclamation (Docket No. 13-0109-1901)

#### 1. IDAPA 13.01.08 - Rules Governing the Taking of Big Game Animals in the State of Idaho

#### **Summary and Stated Reasons for the Rule**

The Idaho Fish and Game Commission submits notice of amended proclamation regarding IDAPA 13.01.08 - Rules Governing the Taking of Big Game Animals in the State of Idaho. The commission notes that it amended its 2019 and 2020 Idaho Big Game Seasons at a special meeting on April 11, 2019. The commission states that under the amendment, there will now be a year-round season for hunting gray wolf on private land in Units 50 (excluding Blaine County) and 51 during the 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 seasons.

#### **Negotiated Rulemaking / Fiscal Impact**

Not applicable.

#### **Statutory Authority**

Section 36-105(3), Idaho Code, provides that the Department of Fish and Game shall be excepted from the requirements of rulemaking when adopting, repealing or amending any proclamations relating to the setting of various seasons and limits, provided it publishes notice of such proposed proclamations in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin and provides notice to Legislative Services for review by the germane joint subcommittees as soon as possible after adoption by the commission.

### 2. IDAPA 13.01.09 - Rules Governing the Taking of Game Birds in the State of Idaho - Notice of Proclamation

#### Summary and Stated Reasons for the Rule

The Department of Fish and Game submits Notice of Proclamation regarding IDAPA 13.01.09 - Rules Governing the Taking of Game Birds in the State of Idaho. The department set the 2019-2020 Idaho Migratory Game Bird Seasons at a special meeting on April 11, 2019. The proclamation establishes seasons and limits for taking of ducks, geese, mourning doves, sandhill cranes, American coot, Wilson's snipe, and American crow in Idaho.

#### **Negotiated Rulemaking / Fiscal Impact**

Not applicable.

#### **Statutory Authority**

Section 36-105(3), Idaho Code, provides that the Department of Fish and Game shall be excepted from the requirements of rulemaking when adopting, repealing or amending any proclamations relating to the setting of various seasons and limits, provided it publishes notice of such proposed proclamations in the Idaho Administrative Bulletin and provides notice to Legislative Services for review by the germane joint subcommittees as soon as possible after adoption by the commission.

cc: Department of Fish and Game Paul Kline

#### \*\*\* PLEASE NOTE \*\*\*

Per the Idaho Constitution, all administrative rules must be reviewed by the Legislature during the next legislative session. The Legislature has 3 options with this rulemaking docket: 1) Approve the docket in its entirety; 2) Reject the docket in its entirety; or 3) Reject the docket in part.

#### **IDAPA 13 – IDAHO FISH AND GAME COMMISSION**

## 13.01.08 – RULES GOVERNING THE TAKING OF BIG GAME ANIMALS IN THE STATE OF IDAHO DOCKET NO. 13-0108-1902AP NOTICE OF AMENDED PROCLAMATION

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 36-105(3), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that the Commission has amended its 2019 and 2020 Idaho Big Game Seasons at a special meeting that occurred on April 11, 2019. Under the amendment, there will now be a year-round season for hunting gray wolf on private land in Units 50 (excluding Blaine County) and 51 during the 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 seasons.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proclamation, contact Owen Moroney at (208) 334-3715.

#### **IDAPA 13 – IDAHO FISH AND GAME COMMISSION**

# 13.01.09 – RULES GOVERNING THE TAKING OF GAME BIRDS IN THE STATE OF IDAHO DOCKET NO. 13-0109-1901P NOTICE OF PROCLAMATION

**AUTHORITY:** In compliance with Section 36-105(3), Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency has adopted by proclamation the 2019-2020 Idaho Migratory Game Bird Seasons at a special meeting that occurred on April 11, 2019. The proclamation establishes seasons and limits for taking of ducks, geese, mourning doves, sandhill cranes, American coot, Wilson's snipe, and American crow in Idaho.

**ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS:** For assistance on technical questions concerning the proclamation, contact Owen Moroney at (208) 334-3715.